



DOCKET NO: ISPH-0591

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appln. No. : 09/917,963 Confirmation No.: 9375  
Applicant : Crooke, et al.  
Filed : July 30, 2001  
TC/A.U. : 1635  
Examiner : S. McGarry  
Customer No. : 36441  
Title : ANTISENSE MODULATION OF MICROSOMAL TRIGLYCERIDE TRANSFER PROTEIN EXPRESSION

MAIL STOP ISSUE FEE  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS UNDER 37 CFR§1.27(g)(2)**

Sir:

Applicant and the undersigned attorney hereby notify the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office that Applicant is no longer entitled to status as a small entity, and that the claim for small entity status, set forth in this application, filed on July 30, 2001 is hereby withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted,

HOWSON AND HOWSON  
Attorneys for Applicant

By Mary E. Bak

Mary E. Bak  
Registration No. 31,215  
Spring House Corporate  
Center, Box 457  
Spring House, PA 19477  
(215) 540-9200



Customer No. 36441

PTO/SB/21 (05-03)

Approved for use through 4/30/2003. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

TRANSMITTAL  
FORM

(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)

		Application Number	09/917,963
		Filing Date	July 30, 2001
		First Named Inventor	Rosanne M. Crooke
		Group Art Unit	1635
		Examiner Name	S. McGarry
Total Number of Pages in this Submission	5	Attorney Docket Number	ISPH-0591

## ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance Communication to a Technology Center
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached (Issue Fee)	<input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers	<input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences
<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition	<input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to TC (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)
<input type="checkbox"/> After Final	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application	<input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information
<input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address	<input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter
<input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request	<input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below):
<input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request	<input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund	Notification of Loss of Small Entity Status
<input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement	<input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application		
<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53		
Remarks		
Customer No. 36441		

## SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm or Individual Name	HOWSON AND HOWSON Mary E. Bak
Signature	<i>Mary E. Bak</i>
Date	Dec. 4, 2003

## CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on this date:  
*12-4-03*

Typed or printed name	Kelly A. Karstaedt
Signature	<i>Kelly A. Karstaedt</i>
	Date 12-4-03

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.5. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 USC 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to 12 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450; Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.